

## CITY ELECTION.

## Warning.

The legal voters of the city of Barre, Vermont, are hereby notified and warned to meet on Tuesday, March 31, A. D. 1908, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon in their respective wards at the several voting places hereinafter named, for the purpose of electing a mayor, city clerk, city treasurer, first and second constables, three directors of the French Barre library and three auditors, all of which shall hold office for one year; also one assessor to hold office for three years, and also to vote upon the question, "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of intoxicating liquors in this city?" and for the purpose of electing:

In ward one, one school commissioner for three years.  
In ward two, one alderman for two years.  
In ward three, one school commissioner for three years.  
In ward four, one alderman for two years.  
In ward five, one school commissioner for two years.  
In ward six, one alderman for two years.  
The following is designated as voting places:  
Ward one, Church street school building.  
Ward two, Spaulding graded school building.  
Ward three, Summer street school building.  
Ward four, Beckley street school building.  
Ward five, Blackwell street house.  
Ward six, corner room, City Hall.  
Dated at the city of Barre, Vt., this 12th day of February, A. D. 1908.  
John Robins, Mayor.

## Notice to the Public.

We are still running a public survey and meeting all trains. Telephone 232-4.  
Papin Bros.

## Maple Sugar

A few pails of good Maple Sugar to close at 11c a pound. Maple Syrup \$1.00 per gallon. Remember, we sell Hams, Bacon, Salt Pork, Salt Salmon, etc. First-class goods only. Give us a call, we will try and use you right.

J. R. OSBORNE, East Barre, Vt.  
Successor to H. J. Woodward.

## SLEIGHS at Reduced Prices.....

There's going to be lots of sleighing yet this winter, so we are going to sell some new driving and second-hand grocer's sleighs at greatly reduced prices. If you want to buy an exceptionally good sleigh cheap, come in. We've also got a few Robes left that you can take your pick of for most any price.

## PAGE BROS. LIVERY STABLE.

## SPAGHETTI DRESSING

With this preparation you can prepare spaghetti in the true Italian way in your own kitchen. It is also a splendid dressing for other vegetables. Ask your grocer for it.

## J. D. OSSOLA, Manufacturer.

## BEST EARLY SEED POTATOES.

I can say unqualifiedly that the true Ensign Bagley Potato is the best I have ever known. It yields enormous, \$1.00 per bushel. Early Burries, 75c per bushel.

LOUIS E. AVERILL.  
R. F. D. No. 2. Phone 331-3. Barre, Vt.

## EMSLIE'S FLOWER STORE

Main St., Next Lady's Store.

## Flowers for All Occasions!

Bulbs—Hyacinths, Narcissus, Tulips, Crocus and Chinese Lilies.  
Miss M. J. Drury will be our agent at Williamstown and is prepared to receive all orders.

## EMSLIE &amp; CO.,

Open Monday and Sat. Evenings. Tel. 9-21

## WOOD

The place to buy Wood. A large stock of all kinds at these prices:

Block Wood, per cord ..... \$3.00  
Limb Wood, per cord ..... 2.25  
Chair Wood, per cord ..... 2.50  
Soft Wood Slab ..... 1.75

Purchase and Shed Wood.

I am prepared to do all kinds of moving and jobbing at reasonable rates. Coarse and fine Sand for sale in any quantity. Coarse Sand for cementing at my sandbank, Farwell street.

L. J. BOLSTER,  
Telephone 405-2,  
383 North Main Street, Barre, Vermont.

## F. L. HARRIS &amp; CO. CARPENTERS.

Work by the hour, day, job or contract will receive prompt attention. All union help. Tel. 144-1. 2 Highland Ave., Barre.

## Joe Koralsky, Custom Tailor!

Ladies' and gentlemen's garments cleaned, pressed, pressed and dyed neatly done. Orders by telephone. Goods sent made to order. All repairs.

The Barre Cleaning and Dyeing Shop.  
Telephone 245-4.  
Eastman Block, 192 No. Main St., Barre.

## THE BARRE DAILY TIMES

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1908.

## For Those Who Are Insured

There is no loss. 50th year. National Life Insurance company, Montpelier, Vt. (Mutual).  
S. S. Ballard, general agent, Montpelier; N. B. Ballard, local agent, Barre, Vt.

## TALK OF THE TOWN.

Cut flowers at Youngson's. Tel. 317-6.

Wanted.—200 Carriages to store for the winter. Geo. E. McFarland.

Masonic charms and pins at L. P. Austin's. "The watch and clock man."

L. P. Austin sells stone cutters' glasses, all kinds and prices, from 20c to \$2.00 per pair.

Any framed or unframed picture in the store at the wholesale price. H. P. Baldwin.

Cloirvaut.—Tuesday and Thursday 2 p. m. to 9 p. m., Mrs. R. E. Ellis, 25 Spaulding street, telephone 156-21.

"The Eastern Herald," the popular Catholic family paper for this state, only \$1.00 per year. Address, Rutland, Vt.

Last opportunity to buy Edison gold-moulded records for 25c each from 4 to 6 p. m. all the week. Averill Music Co.

A chicken pie supper will be served at the February supper, at the Universalist church, February 27. Admission, 25 cents.

A very desirable office room with ante-room, centrally located on Main street, to rent. Terms low. Address "O. K."

Dancing at Hale's pavilion Thursday evening: Montpelier orchestra, Edwin Bruce, leader. Gents 50c, ladies free; prize given.

Typewriting and copying, writing from dictation, circular letters a specialty. Mrs. Mary G. Nye, 7 and 9 Blanchard block.

To Rent.—Two tenements, all modern improvements, at 48 and 50 South Main street. Inquire of John Tierney, 48 South Main street or 303 North Main street.

The young ladies of the Universalist church are preparing for a large crowd at the February supper to be given at the church, Thursday evening, February 27.

Domenica mattina 23 Febbraio alle ore 10 anti terra in casa Cerruti il meeting Della Filodrammatica Independente. Tutti i membri sono pregati di non mancare. A. Fasola, Legr.

The D. A. Perry real estate agency is offering for sale a place with five acres of land and over \$200 worth of stock and tools for only \$700. See advertisement in for sale column.

If your eyes smart or feel bad when you attempt to read in the evening, it means that they need attention. You can get the right kind of treatment at L. P. Austin's, the "watch and clock man."

GRANITEVILLE.

Members of Loyal Green Mountain lodge, L. O. E. F. M. U., who are to give the degree test, please report at Old Fellows hall Monday evening, February 24, at seven o'clock. Per order secretary.

The regular meeting of Branch No. 12, Quarry Workers' International union of North America, will be held on February 26, at seven p. m., in Miles' hall, Graniteville. Jesse Miller, corresponding secretary.

Articles having been taken from what is known as the Italian hotel, now closed, parents and grandfathers are requested to look after their boys and see that none of them are concerned in the matter. Boutwell, Milne & Varman.

The Jumping Off Place.

"Consumption had me in its grasp; and I had almost reached the jumping off place when I was advised to try Dr. King's New Discovery, and I want to say right now it saved my life. Improvement began with the first bottle, and after taking one dozen bottles I was a well and happy man again," says George Moore of Grimsland, N. C. As a remedy for coughs and colds and healer of weak, sore lungs and for preventing pneumonia, New Discovery is supreme. 50c and \$1.00 at the Red Cross pharmacy. Trial bottle free.

Feel languid, weak, run-down? Head-ache? Stomach "off"?—Just a plain case of lazy liver. Burdock Blood Bitters tones liver and stomach, promotes digestion, purifies the blood.

Soothes itching skin. Heals cuts or burns without scar. Cures piles, eczema, salt rheum, any itching. Doan's Ointment. Your druggist sells it.

"I suffered habitually from constipation. Doan's Regulents relieved and strengthened the bowels, so that they became regular ever since."—A. E. Davis, grocer, Sulphur Springs, Tex.

Cheapest accident insurance—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Stops the pain and heals the wound. All druggists sell it.

A CARD.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

Red Cross Pharmacy, E. A. Drown, C. H. Kendrick & Co., D. F. Davis, George L. Edison, J. A. McArthur, W. H. Miles & Co., McAllister Bros., D. C. Howard, J. A. Cumming, J. W. Parmenter.

MEETING OF THE BARRE TOWN BOARD OF CIVIL AUTHORITY.

There will be a meeting of the board of civil authority held at the town clerk's office on February 25, 1908, at 7 o'clock p. m., and on February 26 at East Barre hall at 7 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of making additions and corrections on the check list to be used at the annual election to be held March 3, 1908.

Per order of the board.

## EAST BARRE

Red Men Had a Grand Washington's Birthday Celebration.

Washington title of Red Men of East Barre held its second annual Washington's birthday celebration and banquet at the opera house Friday evening. The Red Men's banquet is the event of the season in East Barre and there were present over 200 people, including the Red Men and their ladies and other guests.

The hall was carefully decorated with flags and bunting. The tables were extended from corner to corner of the hall and they were decorated with carnations and potted plants.

The banquet, served consisted of chicken pie, rice potatoes, salad, cold meats and other good things which go to make up a first class spread. At the intersection of the tables was a five story Red Men's cake decorated with flags and, facing each table, were the initials L. O. R. M. on each side of the cake.

The company was called to order at 8:30 by W. E. Lappin, who acted as toastmaster, and the following program was given: selection by the orchestra; reading, Mrs. Avery; vocal quartet, composed of Miss Mabel Edwards, Miss Davis, Arthur Edwards and Robert Wilbur; music, orchestra; solo, Mrs. E. Blissett; cornet solo, Joseph Lawler; violin solo, Fred Gauthier; reading, Mrs. Holt; music, orchestra, reading, Miss Lena Hero.

At the conclusion of the programme the party took seats at the tables and the toastmaster gave an address of welcome. Mr. Lappin, in his address, paid a glowing tribute to the memory of George Washington and gave an interesting talk on the origin and principles of the Red Men and explained why Washington's birthday is celebrated by all tribes of Red Men in the United States.

J. R. Osborn next entertained the company with a brief account of Red Men, going back to the time when the Indians were the only inhabitants of the country. M. E. Leonard was the next speaker and gave an account of the workings of the Great Council of the state. George Rock then gave a talk on new members and their feelings before and after being accepted. Dr. Avery proposed the toast "The Ladies."

At the conclusion of the supper the tables were removed and John Latourneau took charge of the company as floor manager and the entire company formed for the grand march, which was led by Mr. and Mrs. John Latourneau. Dancing was enjoyed until the early hours of the morning.

The committee in charge of the affair was composed of J. R. Osborn, John Plasted and W. E. Lappin.

Mrs. Frank Dicker is having an attack of the gripe.

Mrs. Barker went to Waterbury Friday morning.

Florence Blake is working for Mr. Ed. Blanchard at present.

Mrs. John Sullivan is quite ill with the gripe. Her mother is with her.

Mrs. A. B. Hutchins and Alein, expect to go this morning to New Hampshire for a visit with relatives.

A very pleasant party gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gray last Thursday evening in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Smith. Games and social intercourse with selections from a phonograph passed the time swiftly. Mrs. Smith was presented a beautiful black silk waist and chiffon collar, as well as a very pretty piece of China. Refreshments of cake, coffee and fruit were served. At a late hour the guests departed leaving best wishes for all.

## State Lines.

The next census will show that Pennsylvania has two cities each with a population exceeding 500,000, a distinction which no other state in the Union will possess.

The national forest reserve in Nevada now reaches the enormous total of \$28,479 acres. The total acreage of the state, including water surface, is something over 71,000,000. Therefore the forest reserve comprises more than one acre in every ten.

According to the official report tabulated under the direction of Right Rev. Bishop J. S. Michael, the Catholic population of Vermont is 75,563. There are 112 parishes in the diocese, including those not having settled pastors. The number of priests is ninety-two.

## College and School.

Michigan has spent \$42,244,111.79 for its schools in sixty-eight years.

Dean Hill of the College of Arts and Sciences of Cornell university has notified President Schurman that he has accepted the presidency of the University of Missouri at Columbia, to take effect Sept. 1.

The Central High school of Philadelphia holds the unique position of being the only public high school in the United States invested with the legal power to confer degrees upon its graduates. In the annals of the national department of education it is classified with the colleges and universities.

## Pointed Paragraphs.

A friend never has to make the assertion that he is a friend.

How fearless and plain spoken a man is in talking to his women folks!

Tact is always remembering that a fine needle requires a fine thread.

One thing may be said to the credit of the parrot—he never makes any thing worse in repeating it.

It is easy to be a brave man until confronted with an opportunity to fight. On parade the cowardly soldier looks quite as well as the hero—Atchison Globe.

The Simpler Tunnel.

The Simpler tunnel, twelve and a quarter miles in length, is the longest in the world.

To Get Rid of Mice.

To do away with mice a mixture of equal parts of flour and plaster or paris is said to be excellent. No mouse is applied to the powders, but all food is put away and the mixture left on a plate where the mice will get it. After one repeat they return no more.

## Page and Printer's Ink.

From Montpelier Journal.

One of the most striking examples of the intelligent and successful use of advertising is shown in the case of Hon. C. S. Page of Hyde Park, known to the world of commerce as the Calfskin King.

Notwithstanding considerable handicap of location—and certainly Nature never intended Hyde Park for a commercial metropolis—Page's business has grown to tremendous importance. His is the largest green calfskin establishment in the world and the words, "Carroll S." and "Calf Skins" have become industrial synonyms for Confidence and Success.

The governor freely gives the chief glory for his accomplishments to printer's ink, used continually, discriminatingly and liberally.

Gov. Page is also president of the Lamont County Savings Bank and Trust Company and has recently received fresh testimony to the value of advertising.

In six months Page's Bank, notwithstanding a severe financial panic, increased its deposits nearly a quarter of a million—due in a large measure to advertising in Vermont newspapers.

Of course, that wasn't the only reason. Carroll S. Page has come to mean Candor, System and Perseverance. Success in Calfskins begets confidence in banking. When Page tells the public that he has not lost a dollar on a bad note in 19 years and that his securities are "all in Vermont," the public believe him. He has the goods to start with, then lets the public know about it.

A \$235,000 increase in six months is a pretty good concrete example of what advertising can do. It requires no argument or explanation. Results count; advertising pays.

## UNITED MINE WORKERS.

Ten Years of Progress Under President John Mitchell.

President John Mitchell in his annual message to the United Mine Workers of America in convention at Indianapolis told of the progress of the past ten years. It was the nineteenth convention of the organization and the tenth over which Mitchell had presided as president. It was Mitchell's valedictory, as he is to retire on April 1.

Mr. Mitchell's address was not a message of unalloyed joy. It contained condemnation as well as praise. He told of defeats and failures as well as of victories and successes which had come to the union miners during the last ten years.

The union had failed to successfully organize Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland and some of the Pennsylvania districts, but had succeeded in Washington, Wyoming and Montana. He charged that disunion had been created in the anthracite fields by the Industrial Workers of the World, the opposition Socialist organization. He opposed the suggestion that the United Mine Workers and the Western Federation of Miners should amalgamate.

Mr. Mitchell is an ardent supporter of the principle of working agreements between organized labor and its employers, and it was with regret that he reported certain local unions of miners as failing to treat contracts with the sacred inviolability which was their due.

He deplored the terrible slaughter of human beings which has accompanied mining in this country and advised the miners to urge congress to make a thorough investigation and to adopt compelling measures of safety.

He made a strong plea for the abolition of child labor and denounced in the strongest terms members of the union who force or permit their children of fourteen or under to work in the mines and breakers. He said the legal age should be not less than sixteen years.

Summarizing the progress made during the ten years of his presidency of the union, Mr. Mitchell said:

"When I assumed the responsibilities of the position in 1898 there were less than 40,000 members in the union and only \$12,239.72 in our national treasury. The miners of those states constituting the central competitive field were but partly and imperfectly organized; there was little organization west of the Mississippi river, south of the Ohio river and only a few scattering locals in the central bituminous and anthracite fields of Pennsylvania. Today we have over 300,000 in our union. We have now accumulated a fund of about \$900,000."

The Sympathetic Strikes.

During the recent convention of the United Mine Workers of America President John Mitchell said:

"Only in extreme cases should I advocate sympathetic strikes. I know the history of the labor movement. I have gone through as much of it as any man of my age, and I have written it. I don't remember any case where sympathetic strikes have been beneficial in the long run. But I believe that there can arise conditions when they would be highly advisable, though I can only advise such a step in most extreme cases."

At the Masked Ball.

"Do you know, by Jove, I actually kissed my own wife just now."

"Sh! Don't say a word. I did the same thing."—Harper's Weekly.

How It Happened.

They met the old cow all forlorn. And asked how she got her crumpled horn. "I crossed the road," the old cow said, "And an auto collided with my head."—Chicago News.

Bright Outlook.

Karr—What makes you think that you are going to succeed in business?

Bagger—Because my partner has \$500,000.—Somerville Journal.

## A STRIKE TWICE WON

Notes From the Diary of a Labor Agitator.

## FIGHT ON GREAT NORTHERN.

How the Union's Representative Set the Wheels of Industry Turning. General Manager For a Night—Jim Hill and American Railway Union.

For just one night I was general manager of a great railroad, though I never received any salary for the service I rendered in that capacity, writes Eugene V. Debs in the Saturday Spectator.

The strike on the Great Northern, extending from St. Paul to the coast, was settled on the evening of May 1, 1904. It was a complete victory for the A. R. U.

President James J. Hill and I had shaken hands and declared the hatchet buried. He said he was glad it was over and assured me that he had no feeling of resentment. As we stood chatting in his office he said:

"By the way, Debs, you'll have to be my general manager tonight, for the men won't go to work except upon your orders."

I said, "All right, sir; I'll guarantee that by morning the trains will all be running on schedule time."

He seemed to be settled, and I did not blame him when he said:

"How about my wages? I, too, am an employee of the Great Northern railway. And since everybody gets a raise, where do I come in?"

He laughed heartily when I answered, "Join the American Railway union and we'll see that you get a square deal."

And then I assumed the duties of general manager. The men all along the line were extremely suspicious. They had been betrayed before and were taking no chances. The chief operator sat at the keys while I dictated the orders. The messages were soon speeding over the wires. At some places there was no trouble. At others it was not easy to convince the men that there was no trickery about it and that the orders bearing my signature were genuine.

When I left the Great Northern headquarters all the trains were moving, the shops, yards and offices were throbbing with activity and everybody was happy.

It was not long after this before President Hill and some of our members wired me as to my interpretation of certain clauses of the agreement. It was evident that trouble was brewing again. I went to St. Paul on the first train. Our committee was promptly convened, but Mr. Hill could not be found. No one knew where he was. It struck me that delay was dangerous and that prompt action was necessary.

We at once summoned Charles A. Pillsbury, the millionaire miller, since deceased, and a personal friend of Mr. Hill, who had taken an active interest in the previous strike and settlement. Mr. Pillsbury and some of his associates came to the hall.

Pillsbury said if the agreement had been violated he did not know it. He did not know where Mr. Hill was and suggested that we wait patiently until he returned. He hoped we would not be rash and that there would be no trouble. When he took his seat I got up. "Mr. Pillsbury," said I, "if Mr. Hill is not here or if there is not some one here to act for him within thirty minutes we will tie up the Great Northern from end to end." The hall rang with applause. Within fifteen minutes President Hill was in the hall. We went into a back room, and in about thirty minutes more everything was adjusted and for the second time the victory of the A. R. U. was complete.

In the fall of 1890 I addressed a great political gathering at Duluth, Minn. The trades union banners were for the first time in a political procession. It was a red letter day. The crowd was immense. No hall was large enough, and it was too chilly for outdoors. Arrangements were made to hold the meeting in the old street car stables. The roof was low and there was ample room, and this was what we needed. Just after I got started some man interrupted. Not understanding what he said, I paused and asked him to repeat his remark. "I said you're all right!" he exclaimed. Within a few feet of him towered a fellow who seemed seven feet tall. His eyes blazed daggers at the first party as he growled, "By heavens, you'd better!" The crowd cheered, and there was no further interruption that night.

An introduction I once received is good for a hearty laugh every time I recall the incident. There was intense rivalry against me, and the young man who had been selected to introduce me to the audience concluded he would try to disarm it. The house was jammed. This was his first experience. He got along quite well till he forgot his lines. And then he closed somewhat abruptly after this fashion: "Debs is hated by some people because he has been in strikes. This is not right. It is the law of nature to defend yourself. Only a coward will refuse to stand up for his rights. Why, even a dog will growl if you try to deprive him of the bone he is gnawing, a cat will scratch in self defense, a bee will sting to protect itself, a goat will butt if you get in his way, and you all know what a jackass will do if you monkey with him. Ladies and gentlemen, this is Debs, who will now address you."

He brought down the house and was immensely pleased with his first effort on the public platform.

Making It Clear.

Bald her husband, not leading her explanations.

"The ingredients I'd use for soups and stews."

Are none but extremely strained relations.

—Harper's Weekly.

## THE WHEELS TURNING.

Encouraging Reports From Big Manufacturing Centers.

From all over the country come reports that industrial plants which have been closed down or running on short time are rapidly resuming operations in full. In the Pittsburgh district the Clark mill of the Carnegie Steel company has started to work full time, with both day and night shifts, giving employment to 900 additional men.

The seventy-two inch mill of the Carnegie Steel company at Homestead has also resumed in full, with day and night shifts.

The Cannonsburg Steel and Iron company, which has been idle for two months, started in full on Feb. 1, as did the Standard Tin Plate company and the East Palestine Pottery company, both of which have been idle for some time.

At Detroit the American Car and Foundry company has put 5,000 men to work on full time, and the Cadillac Motor company did the same for 2,000 men. The Thomas Auto company has resumed on full time, and the Ford and Packard Auto companies already are busy.

The big paint companies, the Acme and the Detroit White Lead, are running on nearly full time, with a full force. Berry Bros' Varnish company, the Parke Davis and the Frederick Stearns Medicine Manufacturing companies, employing thousands of men, are running full time. The Russell Wheel and Foundry company has booked enough orders to last the winter out and has resumed operations in full.

Reports of an optimistic nature come from Saginaw, Marshall, Charlotte, Holland, Pontiac and other places.

News Item.

The mustard in the hamlet of Spill is indeed strong. A man made a plaster of it, put it on his back, and that night it drew his diamond stud into his body. Up to the time of going to press the doctors are still probing for it.

Winds in Arabia.

The whirling winds of Arabia sometimes excavate sand pits to the depth of 200 feet, the rim usually being three times that depth in diameter. A sand pit thus made may be entirely obliterated in a few hours and another excavated within a short distance of it.